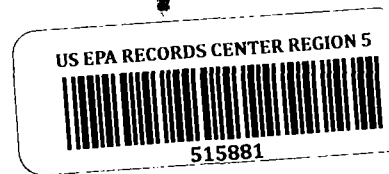




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September 17, 1982

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Dear Al:

Following our phone conversation of September 15, 1982, I telephoned Mr. John Craun of Environmental Research & Technology, who works for Dorsey & Whitney representing Reilly Tar and Chemical Company.

Mr. Craun asked about what chemicals and metals we had tested for in the past and also at present. He also inquired as to whether we have done all the testing recommended by the U.S.E.P.A. under the Safe Waters Drinking Act. I told him that I believed we had complied and to my knowledge the State Department of Health did most of the testing. I gave him the phone number of Gary Englund-Department of Health-to verify this.

I called Gary Englund today (September 16, 1982) and asked if he had received a call in regard to this and he said, no one had called. We spoke about what testing is done or has been done on St. Louis Parks water and he said that we are in compliance with the Safe Waters Drinking Act. He also informed me that the Health Department does the testing. We are tested for "Organics" once every three years. Bacteriological" monthly; "Radioactivity" once every 3 years; "Inorganics" have not been done yet, but are scheduled to begin in October 1982.

Al, on August 7, 1982 I received a call from a lawyer (didn't get his name on record) asking for a sample of the creasote taken from the well which the Ed Reuner Well Company is working on at the Reilly Tar site. I referred him to Mike Hansel of the Minnesota Pollution Control Agency.

Sincerely,

Vern Tollefsrud  
Water Superintendent

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